

October 1, 2013

City of Cedar Hills Cedar Hills, UT 84062

(GRAMA Request – see City cover sheet)

To Whom It May Concern,

We, Cedar Hills Citizens for Responsible Government, respectfully request access (Utah Code **63G-2-102**) to all email and text records, from whatever source City, and/or personal email and text accounts, etc., from April 1, 2012 to present, in their current form, between any and/or all of the following individuals before, after, or during their term of Cedar Hills public employ, as current (Oct. 1, 2013) & then (April 1, 2012):

Mayors and City Council members,
City Managers, Assist. City Managers,
City Recorder and any assistants,
Finance Director (and/or CFO positions) and Department Assistants,
Golf Course Managers & Assistant Managers,
Gretchen & Greg Gordon,
and former Mayor Brad Sears.

It is presumed that the records, which are electronic in origin ("electronic mail" or "emails"), are cost-effectively maintained as such, and it should be a simple thing to allow access to those existing records, as is, and do so FREE of charge and is "encouraged to do so", -- according to Utah Code **63G-2-201**:

Right to inspect records and receive copies of records.

(1) Every person has the right to inspect a public record free of charge, and the right to take a copy of a public record during normal working hours,...

NOTE: Please also see **Utah Code 63G-2-203: & 63G-2-204**. Please also note our numerous and extensive posts regarding previously obtained email records, which in fact, have served as a public service, and offers a complete FREE copy of all "6000+ pages" Utah State Records Committee ORDERED email records, to anyone interested, as provided at www.CedarHillsCitizens.org.

To be perfectly clear, this is <u>NOT</u> a request that the City organize, compile, format, manipulate, package or tailor the email and text records in any manner whatsoever as described under **63G-2-203**. <u>We are **NOT** asking for such organizing, compiling, formatting, manipulating, packaging or tailoring services, of the email and text records</u>

in any manner whatsoever. Simply an inspection the records as they are maintained.

Certainly, our cost-conscious and thoughtful City Officials have learned from their previous experience and have been categorizing ALL emails and text records so as to be current and archived with the City in an on-going established procedure – thus making our request, a matter of a few simple keystrokes to search the archives, to facilitate our inspection at the earliest possible, mutually agreeable time.

Additionally, we assume the City has also learned that spending reportedly \$30,000 (and possibly as much as \$120,000 – exact amount is unreported) in City legal fees, in an unsuccessful attempt to withhold and/or not secure legally required public documents until ORDERED by the Utah State Records Committee to do so – on the proclaimed "principle" of \$766 in records gathering fees. May we respectfully point out that "\$30,000" for the sake of "principle" is significantly more than \$766 or FREE.

In the interest of time (your 10-day legal response window), please know that all responsive records need not be accumulated completely; that we are willing to inspect the records as they become available. We look forward to your expeditious and thorough response through our representative via timely email, to arrange a time for the inspection of the responsive email and text records.

Respectfully,

Ken Cromar – Researcher in behalf of...

Cedar Hills Citizens for Responsible Government

Former CH City Councilman 1994-2000

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CITY OF CEDAR HILLS
GRAMA REQUEST FOR RECORDS
NAME: Codar Hills Citizens for Responsible Government Ken
ADDRESS: 9870 N. Meadow Dr CITY, STATE, ZIP: CH 84062 Present
DAYTIME PHONE: 801-785-5900 E-MAIL: KenCromar @
DESCRIPTION OF RECORD SOUGHT: Blue Moon Prod. Con
See affached 2 page clarification
of request specifics
I would like to inspect the records.
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I would like to receive copies of the record. I understand that I will be responsible for the costs to provide the records. I authorize the cost up to \$ 1000 or FREE* I further understand that I will be contacted if the estimated costs are greater than the amount I have specified, and that the City will not respond to a request for copies for which I have not authorized adequate costs. I am the subject of the record. I am the subject of the record. I am the person who provided the information.
I am authorized to have access by the subject of the record or by the person who submitted the information. (Provide authorization.)
NOTE: Copies of the information being requested will be provided as soon as reasonably possible, but no later than ten (10) business days after receiving this written request.
NOTE: The request may be delayed if all the information is not provided.
by: T. Kernell Codober 1, 2013 Signature
CITY USE ONLY
Date Requested: 10-1-13 Date Due: Date Completed:
Fees Due: \$ Hours:Copies:Supplies:
Copies: \$.25 per 8.5x11 page; \$.50 per 11x17 page
Rate for compiling, formatting, summarizing, etc., is based on the hourly rate of the person who can fill the request.
Information Provided: